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3 **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

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5 A self-contained illumination device for illuminating
6 medicine container labels in low-light level conditions is
7 provided. The illumination means includes a light source
8 component for illumination, an electrical switch component to
9 control the light source, supporting circuitry components to
10 energize the light source, and a housing structure for
11 supporting and enclosing the components, directing the
12 illumination to the label, and coupling the illumination
13 device to a medicine container receptacle or a conventional
14 medicine container cap.